

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EB-07 /018 W  
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R 250843Z MAY 77  
FM AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI  
TO USDOC WASHDC  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 6134  
AMEMBASSY CAIRO  
AMEMBASSY DOHA

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E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: BEXP TC  
SUBJ: U.S. BUILDING PRODUCTS AND CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT  
TRADE MISSION, OCT. '77

REF: (A) ABU DHABI 1482, (B) STATE 118265

1) AFTER FURTHER INVESTIGATION EMB AND CML OFFICE  
DUBAI AGREE THAT VISIT OF SUBJECT MISSION SHOULD  
NOT COINCIDE WITH MECE-77. HOWEVER, DATES PROP-  
POSED REF B DO NOT STRIKE US AS SUFFICIENTLY FAR  
IN ADVANCE OF BRITISH EXHIBITION. WE WOULD SUGGEST  
EARLY OCTOBER DATES FOR UAE HOPIJG THAT WE  
COULD HAVE MISSION VISIT COMPLETED BEFORE INTENSIVE  
LAST-MINUTE MECE-77 PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN BEGINS.  
THE SHORTER THE TIME BETWEEN OUR MISSION AND  
THEIR EXHIBITION, THE GREATER WILL BE THE LIKEIHOOD  
THAT LOCAL MERCHANTS WILL TAKE A WAIT-AND-SEE-  
WHAT-THE -BRITISH-HAVE-TO-OFFER ATTITUDE WHEN  
DEALING WITH OUR PARTICIPANTS.

2) ACTION REQUESTED: IF POSSIBLE, PLS TRY TO  
DEVELOP ITINERARY WHICH WOULD BRING MISSION TO  
U.A.E. DURING FIRST TEN DAYS OF OCTOBER.  
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